

Regarding the cited references, which includes West, *supra*, the Board noted in the middle of page 8 of the decision that

while the West and Vippagunta references show that it is difficult to predict whether a given compound will form a solvate or hydrate, or what its composition will be, the references also provide evidence that solvates and hydrates are routinely produced and characterized empirically.

The Office Action in the present case, likewise to the case of Liu, has not provided adequate evidence in support of establishing a lack of enablement, but instead merely relies on the disclosure of West, which was held inadequate by the Board in *Ex parte Liu*.

In view of the above, favorable reconsideration is respectfully and courteously requested.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees associated with this response or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-3402.

Respectfully submitted,

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